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and wide band, at 49c.

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1 piece Serge, each 47 1-2, 58c, 69: and 3 dez Black and Brown Derbys, latest # pieces Crepons at 87 1-2c.

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THEREAS, DANIEL L. REYgrant him letters of adminis- disrespectful demonstration. ration of the estate of and effects of Isabella Reynolds, deceased. admonish all and singular the kin-dred and creditors of the said Isabelsion as besieged the doors today. The and appear, before me, in the Court ways attracts a big attendance. Today of Probate, to be held at Manning, S. the proceedings in the case of Represen-C., on the 14th day of December next, tative Roberts, which promised to be after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock exciting and possibly sensational, furnin the forenoon, to show cause, if ished an additional attraction. any they have, why the said administration should not be granted.

For hours before noon, the the house to meet, people to

of November, A. D. 1899. JAMES M. WINDHAM, Judge of Probate.

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## BOTH BRANCHES OF **CONGRESS CONVENE**

RAISINS AND NUTS ROBERTS CASE GOES OVER

Utah Member Appears and Announces Himself Ready to Be Sworn, but the Speaker. In Accordance With Agrecment, Requests Ham to Step Asids.

of the Fifty-sixth congress at noon today attracted that widespread attention which always attaches to the annual assembling of the national lawmakers. We are still headquarters for Fine There was added interest in the event



this year, for the many farreaching questions awaiting consideration gave unusual importance to the return of congress. Aside from this, the Roberts case added a phase which promised something outside of the ordinary de-

bright and propitious and the thoroughfares leading to the building presented a gay and animiated appearance. the building all was bustle and excite-ment long before the hour for calling the house to order. The outer doors were open to all and through these flowed continuous streams of humanity, until the great corridors, galleries and rotundas were fairly packed.

As early as 10:30 o'clock the con-spicuous figures of congress began to arrive and this served to give the waiting throngs a temporary diversion. General Henderson went direct to the

Shortly before 11 o'clock Mr. Roberts of Utah, in silk hat and black frock STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, of Cras, in silk hat and black from to the members' private lobby. Here he chanced to meet Mr. Richardson and the two held a short conference as to

NOLDS made suit to me to wherever he went, but there was no Crowds About the House.

the house to meet, people streamed Given under my hand this 22d day through the corridors to the galleries which looked down upon the arena where the statesmen were congregating. By 11 o'clock a brilliant gathering had assembled. The galleries were black with people and through the swinging doors could be seen pushing hundreds Entrance was only obtained by card, ries were filled with brilliantly gowned women, the wives of members and their filled with high dignitaries of the gov-

friends. The executive gallery was ernment and the diplomatic gallery was Scattered through the galleries were

people prominent in the political, social and financial world.

with great curiosity. Later Major Mc-Dowell, clerk of the house, ordered all except two of the rolls taken out into

Leader of the Minority. early and was soon surrounded by a group of Democrats. Mr. Roberts came but he was not generally recognized

and he retired to the cloakroom at meal At 11:30 a shrill voiced clerk directed those not entitled to the floor to retire

Senator Rawlins of Utah came over from the senate wing and held an earnest conference with Mr Roberts. Mr. Lentz of Ohio took part in the conference. After it was over the report was circulated that Mr. Roberts would not But present himself to be sworn in. this was immediately denied. Mr. Roberts himself said he had not decided what he would do, but that he himself

the Republican side. As the minute hand of the clock opposite the speaker's restrum overtook the vice president's desk. the hour hand at noon, the gavel of the parent omission was explain clerk of the house, Major McDowell, descended with a bang. The indescribable buzz ceased. The members rose and the spectators in the galleries bowed their heads. In this stillness the voice of the blind chaplain, Rev. Henry Conder of Michigan, was elevated and

his prayer made the occasion reverent.

After the invocation the reading clerk began calling the roll and a minute later the buzz had recommenced, making a noisy background for the staccato notes of the cierk as he called out the Mr. Roberts sat listening intently for

his name and when it was called he responded "here" in a loud voice. But he looked nervous and ill at ease. There were no demonstrations during the rollcail. When it was concluded Clerk McDowell announced that 352 members had answered to their names,

Election of a Spraker.

"The next thing in order," announced the clerk, "is the election of a speaker."

Mr. Hepburn of Iowa offered a resolution which was adopted viva voce providing that the house proceed to the election of a speaker for the Forty-sixth congress. Thereupon Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, as chairman of the Republican cancus, presented the name of David B. Henderson of Lowa; Mr. Hay of Virginia, chairman of the Democratic caucus, nominated James C Richard-son of Tennessee; Mr. Ridgley of Kansas nominated John C. Bell of Colorado as the Populist candidate, and Mr. Wilson of Idaho placed Francis G. Newlands of Nevada in nomination as the candidate of the silver party.

Each party having put forward its candidate by the direction of the clerk the roll was called and each member voted for the candidate of his political

Mr. Morris of Minnesota, Mr. Over-



BRIGHAM H. ROBERTS.

street of Indiana and Mr. Carmack of Tennessee were appointed tellers.

Mr. Newlands, himself a candidate, voted for Mr. Richardson The roll call resulted: Henderson.

177; Richardson, 163; Bell, 4; New-The clerk thereupon announced the election of Mr. Henderson amid great aprlause from the Republicans.

Roberts Case Goes Over. When the name of Brigham H. Roberts was reached in the house rollcall the Utah member-elect proceeded alone to the area in front of the speaker's desk and awaited the administration of the oath. At the same time Representative Taylor of Ohio secured the floor and amidst breathless interest protested against the swearing in of Rob-Seldom, if ever, have such enormous erts on the ground of his being a polyg-These are therefore to cite and crowds swarmed about the house to amist and not a properly naturalized

Representative McRae of Arkansas followed with a protest from the Democracit side, saying this issue was one involving the sacredness of the American home, a sentiment that brought an outburst of applause. Speaker Henderson addressed Roberts,

saying: "Will the gentleman stand aside until the rollcall is completed?" Mr. Roberts assented, with the statement that in so doing he waived none of his rights.

"I can assure the gentleman," an swered the speaker, "that he wrives none of his rights by this course.' Mr. Roberts then resumed his seat and the rollcall proceeded.

It was agreed by unanimous consent that the consideration of the resolution should go over until tomorrow until after the reading of the president's message. The swearing in of the remaining members was then concluded. Taylor Wants an laquiry.

The following is the text of Representative Taylor's resolution for the appointment of a special committee to inrestigate the Roberts case: "Whereas, It is charged that Brigham

H. Roberts, a representative-elect to the Fifty-sixty congress from the state of Utah, is ineligible to a seat in the house of representatives, and, "Whereas, The charge is

through a member of the house on his responsibility as such, and on the basis, as he asserts, of public records, affidavits and papers evidencing such ineligibility. "Resolved, That the question of the

prima facie right of Brigham H. Roberts to be sworn in as a representative be referred to a special committee of nine members of the house to be appointed by the speaker and until such committee shall report upon and the house decide such question and right, the said Brigham H. Roberts shall not be sworn in or be permitted to occupy a seat in this house, and said committee shall have power to send for persons and papers and examine witnesses on oath in relation to the subject matter of this resolution.'

Gloom Over the Senate. In the shadow of the recent death of Vice President Hobart the senate convened at noon today in its first session of the Fifty-sixth congress. The death

As usual on the opening days of a session of congress the chamber was a veritable conservatory. The odor of the rarest and loveliest of blooming

main aisle and soon became the cyno- lavish floral display, and particularly sure of all eyes His daughter sat in the members' gallery. notable was the offering of flowers to the new members of the body. The the members gallery.

the new members of the body. The Mr. Taylor of Onio, who represents desks to which they had been assigned President McKinle, 's district, who was were loaded with the choicest selections to conduct the case against Mr. Roberts, from the public and private conservawas conferring with his colleagues on tories of the city.

no emblem of mourning appeared on parent omission was explained by the informed officially of Mr. Hobart's death.

galleries were filled with a brilliant and distinguished audience. In the diplomatic gallery were several prominent members of the diplomatic corps, among whom was Lord Pannce-

Pauncefote. Promptly at 12 o'clock, 200n, Mr. Frye of Maine, president protest, cailed the senate to order. The band chaplain, the Rev. Dr. Milburn, pronounced the invocation, making a beautiful and

Mr. Bacon (Dem., Ga.) was the first member to be recognized by the chair. He presented, on behalf of Mr. Mallory, (Dem., Fla.) who was detained from the session by illness, the credentials of Senator-elect Taliaferro of Florida.

Credentials of Quay Up.

by the governor. On motion of Mr. Cockrell of Missouri, the credentials of Mr. Quay were referred to the committee on privileges and elections. In this connection Mr. Chandler (Rep., N. H.) offered a resolution that Senator Quay be admitted as a senator from Pennsylvania. This resolution also was referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

the seating of Mr. Quay were presented by Mr. Burrows (Rep., Mich ) and Mr. Jones (Dem., Ark.)

Nebraska were presented and subse-

SAVANNAH, Dec. 4.-When the grand | Glass. jury of the United States district court meets here this week the charges against Colonel John F. Gaynor and Captain B. D. Green of New York of conspiring with Oberlin M. Carter, late captain in the United States corps of engineers, to defraud the government of sums of money said to exceed \$1,500,000, will be thoroughly investigated.

circuit and district courts began here today, during which the alleged con-spiracy of certain parties to defraud the government in the letting of contracts for the work on the Savannah harbor will be taken under consideration. District Attorney Marion Erwin

of this county, at the expressed wish of Judge Speer. A. J. Rose, an attorney of New York. is here. He was one of Captain Oberlin M. Carter's attorneys during his trial by courtmartial. W. H Venable, a prominent contractor of Atlanta, is here. He attempted to secure contracts when the work in the harbor was going

## Southern Manufacturers Are Now

Forming a Combination. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 4.—It is reported that a combination of the southern cotton gin manufacturers is now among others, are in the deal: Northington-Munger-Pratt Gin company of Birmingham; Smith Sons Gin and Machine company, Avondale; Daniel Pratt Gin company, Prattville, Ala.; Munger Gin company, Dallas, Tex.; Winship Machine company, Atlanta; Eagle Gin

formed W. T. Northington of this city will be president and that the headquarters and general center of action will be in Birmingham. Persons interested in the deal here admit that such a movement is on foot, but say that final and definite action has not yet been

taken. The value of this amalgamation would lie not altogether in the community of interest, but in the control by one concern of all the best patents for the mak-

Gage Submits an Estimate. year of \$38.023,616, and an increase over the appropriations for the present

fiscal year of \$34,235,024. Electric Lights For Tampa. TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 4.-Letters patent have been issued here for the incorporation of the Tampa Electric company with a capital of \$500,000. The company is organized for the purpose of furnishing light, heat, power for railways and other purposes. The incorporators are George J. Baldwin, Peter O. Knight, Eliot Wadsworth, W. H. Blood, Jr., and H. G. Bradlee.

Crookedness Now Suspected. CHARLESTON, Dec. 4.-The Branchville express robber has not been caught. Detectives from this city and Columbia have gone to help the county authorities. A reward of \$500 has been offered by the express company. Something crooked is suspected. This suspicion is heightened, as the \$10,000 lost from the Columbia express office two years ago has never turned up.

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# Do You Eat?

David B. Henderson Is Made Speaker of the House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4 .- The opening

velopments of an opening day.

Early in the day throngs began converging at the capitol. The day was

speaker's private office, where he shared his time with the house leaders and with those pleading for admission cards. Representative Richardson of Tennessee, the Democratic house leader, was also early on the scene conferring with

By James M. Windham, Esq., Pro-bate Judge.

Pro-whether Mr. Roberts would seek to ad-dress the house. A buzz of comment dress the house. A buzz of comment followed the gentleman from Utah

la Reynolds, deceased, that they be assembling of a new congress al-For hours before noon, the hour for

> who were unable to gain admittance. for which there was an enormous demand. The ladies and members' galle-

resplendent with the representatives of foreign governments.

Very early in the day a monster petition, said to consist of 7,000,000 names protesting against the seating of Mr. Roberts, was brought into the house. It had been collected by a New York newspaper. It consisted of 28 rolls of names, each about 2 feet in diameter, incased in the American flag. These rolls were stacked up in the area in front of the clerk's desk and viewed

Mr. Richardson of Tennessee, who was selected as the leader of the minority on Saturday, came upon the floor into the hall shortly after 11 o'clock,

and officers and pages rapidly cleared out those already in.

of the vice president cast a pall over the preliminary proceedings at the north end of the great marble capitol. desired to be heard when his case came plants was heavy on the air. Scarcely up. He took a seat to the right of the a single senator was forgotten in the

eral Car Loads of Horses and Mules. A full assortment of both on hand. Among the horses are several nice match- the Wheelwright and Blacksmith line; also

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Attention was called to the fact that statement that the senate had not been

Pending the actual convening of the senate, the chamber presented a most animated and picturesque scene. The

fore, the British ambassador, and Lady

touching reference to the death of Vice President Hobart.

They were filed. Mr. Penroso (Rep., Pa.) presented the credentials of Matthew S. Quay, appointed senator from Pennsylvania

Remonstrances and memorials against

quently the announcement was made by Mr. Thurston of Nebraska that owing to critical illness Mr. Hayward was unable to be present. By direction of the chair the new senators were presented at the secretary's desk, where the oath of office was administered to them by the president

### CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD? Savannah Harbor Contract Letting Will Be Investigated.

A special session of the United States

stated today that the grand jury would be in session two weeks. The jury is composed of men who are not residents

on. Eight or ten army engineers are COTTON GIN TRUST LIKELY.

forming. It is said that the following,

company, Atlanta.

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